

December 6, 2011

US EPA, Region 6

ATTN: Mrs. Brenda Cook

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Re:

Request to Evaluate Norphlet Chemical Inc. Site for NPL

Norphlet, Union County, Arkansas

EPA ID No. ARD008049207; AFIN 70-00694

Dear Mrs. Cook:

The Arkansas Department of Environmental Quality – Hazardous Waste Division (ADEQ) has recently performed a Comprehensive Site Assessment (CSA) for the abandoned Norphlet Chemical Inc. (NCI) facility located in the city of Norphlet, Arkansas. The NCI facility began as the Macmillan Ring Free Refinery which became Nor-Ark Industrial Company prior to becoming NCI. An electronic copy on three compact discs of the most recent CSA and other relevant documents are attached to this request for the United States Environmental Protection Agency to evaluate the NCI facility for inclusion to the National Priority List.

If you have any questions, please contact the Project Coordinator, Matthew Brooks, at 501-682-0826 or brooks@adeq.state.ar.us.

Sincerely,

Clyde E. Rhodes, Jr.

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Hazardous Waste Division

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